

ROME

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Cam T. Tien
1st Ward

John B. Mortise
2nd Ward

Kimberly Rogers
3rd Ward

Ramona L. Smith
4th Ward

Frank R. Anderson
5th Ward

Riccardo D. Dursi, Jr.
6th Ward

Robert Tracy
7th Ward

Jean I. Grande
City Clerk

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**OFFICE OF THE COMMON
COUNCIL**

ROME, NEW YORK 13440-5815

Stephanie Viscelli
Common Council President

Youth Advisory Council

Vision: A youth council is an advisory body will be composed of high school students that reside within the Rome city limits. They provide advice and counsel to the local governing body and its affiliated advisory and regulatory boards, as well as other community organizations. Additionally, youth councils can implement and participate in a variety of youth-identified community initiatives.

Goals: To help develop a better understanding of the role of government, civic responsibility, and the rights and responsibilities of citizenship.

Citizenship means membership in a community (neighborhood, school, region, state, nation, world) with its accompanying rights, responsibilities, and dispositions.

Civic Values refers to those important principles that serve as the foundation for our democratic form of government. These values include justice, honesty, self-discipline, due process, equality, majority rule with respect for minority rights, and respect for self, others, and property.

Benefits:

- Student involvement in decision making
- Re-inforce Civic Education
- Increasing volunteerism
- Increased communication between youths and adults
- Creation of future leaders

YOUTH COUNCIL APPLICATION 2018-19

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____ Ward: _____

Home Phone: (____) ____ - _____ Cell Phone (____) ____ - _____

Email: _____ @ _____

Age _____ Grade _____ School _____

Parent/ Guardian Name: _____

Parent/ Guardian Phone Number: _____

Parent/ Guardian Email: _____

Please tell us why you feel you should be chosen for Youth Council? _____

List any other sports or activities you currently participate? _____

Would you be available for meetings on the 2nd & 4th Mondays and Wednesdays every month?

If not please explain why:

What committees would you be interested in serving on?

_____ Education, Parks, and Cultural Affairs

_____ Community and Economic Development

_____ Municipal Operations

_____ Finance, Laws and Rules

_____ Public Safety

_____ Other _____

Please return your application to:

Councilor Riccardo Dursi
Rome City Youth Council

6672 Golf Course Road
Rome, NY 13440

or

198 N Washington St,
Rome NY 13440